

September 6, 2003

California Energy Commission
1516 Ninth Street
Sacramento, CA 95825

Re: SMUD Consumnes Power Plant Project Pipeline Location
Doc # 01-AFC-19

DOCKET 01-AFC-19
DATE <u>SEP 06 2003</u>
RECD. <u>SEP 08 2003</u>

Dear Commissioners:

We were informed that SMUD intends to install a natural gas pipeline near our residence.

We are concerned about the location of the pipeline in relation to our residence and the domestic well servicing our residence. We are concerned that the installation of the pipeline will interfere with the domestic well on the property and therefore affect our drinking water. Even if the well is replace, we will be temporarily displaced. We are also concerned with the location of the pipeline in relation to our residence. We are concerned about the additional safety risks of having such a large gas pipeline placed next to our home.

We are SMUD ratepayers and as such, we believe that SMUD should look at other location alternatives such as the existing transmission tower easements, which would provide a greater buffer between my residence and the pipeline.

Sincerely,

Myrna Flores
Mauricio Flores
Myrna and Mauricio Flores